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SUBJECT: VISIT OF AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVES OF PETROCHEMICAL  
PROCESSING EQUIPMENT TO SOFIA

1. A GROUP OF TEN US BUSINESSMEN AND SPECIALISTS  
REPRESENTING SOME OF THE BEST KNOWN AMERICAN FIRMS IN  
THE FIELD OF PETROCHEMICAL PROCESSING EQUIPMENT ARRIVED  
IN SOFIA MARCH 21. THEY ARE TO PARTICIPATE IN  
A SEMINAR CO-HOSTED BY THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICAL INDUSTRY.

2. DURING THEIR THREE-DAY STAY, THE AMERICAN TEAM  
WILL DELIVER A SERIES OF TECHNICAL PAPERS ON RECENT  
ADVANCES IN THE PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRY AND WILL MEET  
WITH THEIR BULGARIAN COUNTERPARTS TO HOLD FURTHER  
DISCUSSIONS ON TOPICS OF MUTUAL INTEREST.

3. THE US REPRESENTATIVES HOPE TO INTRODUCE THEIR  
FIRMS' EQUIPMENT AND TECHNIQUES AND TO IMPROVE THEIR  
TIES WITH THE BULGARIAN PETROCHEMICAL INDUSTRY.

4. THE GROUP WILL TRAVEL FROM SOFIA TO  
YUGOSLAVIA, ROMANIA, AND POLAND.

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